

## Haydock High School

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Dear Parent/Carer.

In these usual times, we are striving to ensure the quality of Teaching and Learning remains ambitious and that the impact on student attainment and progress, from remote learning, is limited. Had Year 10 students been in school this half term, they would have completed Assessment Point 2, however, it has not been logistically possible to run this series of assessments remotely where we can ensure fairness in accessibility and allow for comparable data.

We have considered various options and feel that it would be best to complete any Assessment Point 2 tasks before students return to school. It is our intention to provide students with an updated Pupil Profiles, providing Assessment Point 2 data shortly after return from half term.

In order to provide students with this most accurate information, they will need to ensure that all completed work has been uploaded/returned to their class teachers by 4pm on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February. Staff will assess the work submitted and provide students with an assessment grade; from this assessment grade, staff will review if the current grade for Assessment Point 1 needs adjusting.

We are not requesting additional submissions from students on top of the schemes of work, they just need to continue working hard on remote learning activities and ensure that work completed is returned to their teacher by the date given above. We feel that receiving an up to date Pupil Profile will help students understand how remote learning fits into their bigger learning journey. Hopefully reducing some worries about gaps in learning or impact on attainment.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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